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Applicant(s): Oscar af Strom		RM666	

Application No. 10/783,971	Filing Date 02/20/2004	Examiner	Group Art Unit 1734
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Invention: Transfer Method for Surface Decoration



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Title: **Transfer Method for Surface Decoration**

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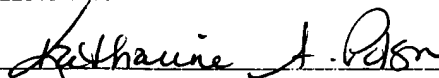


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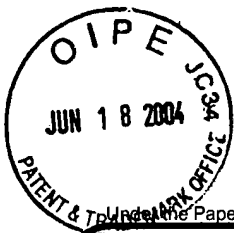


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Application Number 10/783,971

Filing Date 02/20/2004

First Named Inventor Oscar af Strom

Art Unit 1734

Examiner Name

Attorney Docket Number RM666

**To: Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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I hereby apply to withdraw as attorney or agent for the above identified patent application.

The reasons for this request are:

- 1) Created rush to file on a non-existent provisional.
- 2) Approved a spec and new claims, but now says he did not read them.
- 3) Does not pay his bill on time.
- 4) Demands re-work for free.

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2. ☒ Change the correspondence address and direct all future correspondence to:

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- ☒ This request is made on behalf of myself and
- ☐ all the attorneys/agents of record,
- ☐ the attorneys/agents (with registration numbers) listed on the attached paper(s), or
- ☒ the attorneys/agents associated with Customer Number 23996

This request is enclosed in triplicate (including any attachments).

Name Rick Martin

Signature  Registration No. 32,267

Date 6-10-04

**NOTE: Withdrawal is effective when approved rather than when received. Unless there are at least 30 days between approval of withdrawal and the expiration date of a time period for response or possible extension period, the request to withdraw is normally disapproved.**

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.36. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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### NOTICE AND REQUEST OF WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEYS OF RECORD

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Rule 37 CFR 1.36 and MPEP Rule 402.06, the undersigned attorneys hereby give notice and request permission to withdraw as attorneys of record in the above referenced matter for the reasons stated in the attached Request For Withdrawal, PTO Form SB/83. The undersigned attorneys are associated with Customer No. 23,996.

Copies of the files are being prepared for delivery to the former client, Oscar af Strom.

Although there is a pending Notice to File Missing Parts in this case, there should be at least 30 days between approval of withdrawal and the expiration date of the period which can be obtained by a petition and fee for extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (a). The expiration date of the period that can be obtained by a petition and fee for extension of time is November 17, 2004.

The Notice to File Missing Parts dated May 17, 2004 was received in our office on May 19, 2004. A letter was sent to our client on June 3, 2004 notifying it of the July 17, 2004 deadline without extensions for response. This letter also requested approval to proceed with a response to The Notice to File Missing Parts and payment for legal services associated with such response.

This office filed a non-provisional application on behalf of the client on extremely short notice. Our firm was pushed into a rush to file on a non-existent provisional application. Several unbilled hours were spent trying to locate a non-existent provisional file from the estate of the

former, now deceased, patent attorney. Client approved a spec and the new claims, but now says he did not read the claims. Client does not pay his bills on time. Client also demands re-work for free.

Therefore, the undersigned attorneys respectfully request the approval of their Request For Withdrawal attached hereto.


Respectfully submitted,

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